IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

-Kousuke SUZUKI, et al.

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SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING AN INSULATION FILM WITH REDUCED For: WATER CONTENT (AS AMENDED)

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF CORRECTED DRAWINGS

Director of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

February 14, 2001

Sir:

The Examiner's approval of the drawing corrections indicated in red ink on the attached three (3) sheets of drawings is respectfully requested.

Upon receipt of approval of the drawing corrections and a formal Notice of Allowance, a bonded draftsman will be retained and the appropriate correction(s) will be made.

In the event any fees are required in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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